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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): ZHUO, Jesse

For: SAFE SHUTDOWN DEVICE FOR AN UNINTERRUPTIBLE POWER SUPPLY
(UPS) SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR SAFELY SHUTTING DOWN A UPS
SYSTEM

Enclosed are:

 X A specification consisting of 12 pages X 7 sheet(s) of FORMAL drawings X An assignment of the invention - \$40.00 Recording Fee X Certified copy of Priority Document(s) X Executed Declaration X Original Photocopy Applicant claims small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR 1.27 Application Data Sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.76

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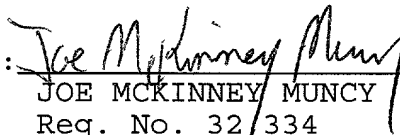
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